



Our mission: CVUU strives to be a caring religious community that encourages and supports the sharing of ideas and experiences of all who travel rich and varied spiritual paths

Coming Home

The newsletter of the Cache Valley Unitarian Universalists

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Sunday Services

all services begin at 10am

- January 6:** Finding Friendship: *Lorien Belton*
- January 13:** World Music: *Wade Evans*
- January 20:** Music & Spirituality (tentative): *Lyndi Perry*
- January 27:** Yoga, Part II (tentative): *Michael Sowder*



The CVUU Occasional Singers perform during the Winter Solstice Service: Photo credit: *Susanne Janecke*

SUNDAY COMMUNITY DONATION (JANUARY, FEBRUARY)



CAPSA is a non-profit domestic violence, sexual abuse, and rape recovery center serving Cache County and the Bear Lake area. CAPSA provides support services for women, men, and children impacted by abuse. All of CAPSA's services are FREE and confidential.

TARA'S CORNER



introduces the Lyric Repertoire Company at the Tabernacle Concert series. Photo credit, Julianne Larsen

I always love Christmas at our house. Julianne and I agree that the most fun thing about Christmas is giving gifts and choosing something that is just perfect for that person.

When Christmas is over and all the decorations are put away I usually have a bit of the blues in January. I think perhaps we should institute a new holiday mid-January where we all go hot tubbing and disco dancing.

There will be some changes in the new year at CVUU. We're saying goodbye to Kevin Whitaker as our Worship Associate. He has done an excellent job and has set the bar really high.

Our new Worship Associate will be Sondra Scott. Sondra has been on the Worship Team for a long time and has been involved in many services. I am sure she will do a wonderful job and we will all be happy with the change. We will of course, miss Kevin.

In February, I will be starting a series of homilies about invisible people. There are people in the world that we do not see and I think it would be a good idea to take some time and look at their plight and how we can help them. Service to others is guaranteed to make us happier. Here's to a Happy New Year!



Tara Hawkins, Lay Leader

IN OUR THOUGHTS



- ❖ Friends, members, and their families mourning the loss of loved ones
- ❖ Friends, members, and their families struggling with physical or mental illness and other life struggles
- ❖ ***We hold in our hearts all of those around the world in harm's way***

"We light this chalice, for the warmth of love, the light of wisdom, and the energy of action"

EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

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SOCRATES CAFÉ will meet at the on the **first Thursday of the month** for stimulating questions and lively discussion. For more information visit the [Socrates Café page](#).

Contact info: Dave Christian at dchristian999@gmail.com

Thursday: 7 to 8:30pm

Juniper Room, Logan City Library: 255 North Main

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CVUU Board Meeting: All are welcome. CVUU Members are encouraged to attend. Meets on the third Tuesday of every month.

Tuesday: 6-7:30pm

CVUU Kitchen



SUNDAYS@CVUU VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

GREETERS: Are you outgoing and/or like to meet new people? Then, we need you as a Sunday morning greeter.

- Arrive at about 9:45am
- Welcome attendees
- Handout the Order of Service
- Direct newcomers/visitors to the Sanctuary
- Put up the screens when the service begins

KITCHEN / COFFEE SETUP:

- Arrive 20 minutes early
- Make coffee (instructions available) and plug in hot water urn
- Set out tea, creamer, sugar, etc.
- Set out mugs and plates / utensils, napkins when needed
- Put out snacks from the (west) cupboard in the kitchen

That's it! Volunteer for one or the other either one time or as an on-going service to the church

Contact Susan at Sundays@cvuu.org to see if either of these volunteer opportunities might be the right fit for you.



LEADERSHIP CONTACTS

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Member at Large: *Jim Vandygriff*
Member at Large: *Jordan Leary*
President: *Anne Hedrich*
Secretary: *Ryan Berke*
Treasurer: *Lorien Belton*
Vice President: *George Wootton*

STAFF (PART-TIME)

Childcare Assistant: *Kirsten Mara*
Lay Leader: *Tara Hawkins*
Organizational Coordinator: *Susan Buffler*
Sunday Music Coordinator: *Lyndi Perry*
Worship Coordinator: *Sondra Scott*

ACTION TEAM LEADS (VOLUNTEER POSITIONS)

Art: *Susanne Janecke*
Building Manager: *Liz Berke*
Cache Community Connections liaisons: *Tara Hawkins & Julianne Larsen*
Children's Program Coordinator: *Jordan Leary*
Administrator / Finance: *Lorien Belton*
Community & Caring:

- Membership: OPEN
- Fellowship & Hospitality: OPEN
- Caring: *Jim Evans*

Environmental & Social Justice: *Jenny Norton & Paul Rogers*
Grounds: *Jean Lown*
Our Whole Lives Sexuality Education: *Lorien Belton*
Special Committees:

- Nominations: *Susanne Janecke, Jenny Norton, Julianne Larsen*
- Committee on Ministry: *Susanne Janecke, George Wootton*

Sundays@CVUU Coordinator: *Susan Buffler*

BOARD LIAISONS

Building: *Ryan Berke*
Membership: *Anne Hedrich*
Religious Exploration: *Jordan Leary*
Worship Committee: *George Wootton*

Feedback on Sunday services: *Susanne Janecke*

DO YOU HAVE FEEDBACK FOR US ON CVUU SERVICES? Ideas, comments, or concerns about CVUU services? Please give compliments directly to those giving the services, but direct any complaints or concerns through Susanne.

Contact: Susanne Janecke is the main point of contact, regardless of who conducted the service: susanne.janecke@usu.edu

CVUU CALENDAR: JANUARY 2019

| Sun | M | T | W | Th | F | Sat |
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| | | 1 NEW YEARS DAY Cache Pride Center Pre-Teens 5-8pm Meeting to be Determined / Contact CPC | 2 Amrita Yoga Satsang 6:30pm | 3 | 4 Cache Pride Center Teens 5-8pm | 5 |
| 6 Sunday Service Finding Friendship | 7 Cache Valley Buddhist Sangha 7:15pm | 8 Cache Pride Center Pre-Teens 5-8pm | 9 Amrita Yoga Satsang 6:30pm | 10 | 11 Cache Pride Center Teens 5-8pm | 12 |
| 13 Sunday Service World Music | 14 Cache Valley Buddhist Sangha 7:15pm | 15 Cache Pride Center Pre-Teens 5-8pm CVUU Board Meeting 6-7:15pm | 16 Amrita Yoga Satsang 6:30pm | 17 | 18 Cache Pride Center Teens 5-8pm | 19 |
| 20 Sunday Service Spirituality & Music (tentative) | 21 Cache Valley Buddhist Sangha 7:15pm | 22 Cache Pride Center Pre-Teens 5-8pm | 23 Amrita Yoga Satsang 6:30pm | 24 | 25 Cache Pride Center Teens 5-8pm | 26 |
| 27 Sunday Service Yoga Part II (tentative) | 28 Cache Valley Buddhist Sangha 7:15pm | 29 Cache Pride Center Pre-Teens | 30 Amrita Yoga Satsang 6:30pm | 31 |  <p>All activities listed here are held at the Jay and Leslie Fellowship House located at 596 E. 900 North, Logan, UT unless otherwise noted.</p> <p>See the Connections tab on the cvuu.org website for details about our regular activities</p> | |

Join us at 10am for Sunday Services at
The Jay & Leslie Black Fellowship House
596 E 900 North, Logan, UT
(435) 755-2888
info@cvuu.org



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[Welcoming Congregation](#)

Visit the [cvuu.org website](http://cvuu.org) to learn more about our church
community!



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